Subject No. 380.

Channapatna Water-supply.

Summary of discussion.—Channapatna has 10,000 inhabitants and is dependent on Kudinirkatte tank for drinking water. This tank needs the following works:—

(1) Bund and waste weir should be raised;

(2) The breaches in the feeder channels should be mended;

(3) A silt dam should be built; and

(4) A dam should be thrown to divert the town sewage and the drainage of Muhammadan burial grounds.

Dewan's reply.—Under consideration. A water-supply project for Channapatna is attended with great difficulty.

Subject No. 381.

Extra Police required for Channaptna.

Summary of discussion.—The town Police force is insufficient. The Government is aware of the riots and disturbances now and then occurring there. The Taluk Cutcherry and the Police station are located in the Fort, while the traders and the people inhabit the Petta. Twelve Silledars and one Police Dafadar with twelve Constables should be located in the Petta. Nothing has been done with reference to the representation made last year.

Dewan's reply.—This will be referred to the Deputy Commissioner. A punitive Police at the cost of the local community will become necessary, unless the inhabitants live more peacefully.

Subject No. 382.

Government timber Depot required at Channapatna.

Summary of discussion.—Channapatna is a large town. People find it difficult to get timber and bamboos. The Forest Department should establish a Depôt.

Dewan's reply.—A Depôt has been recently sanctioned.

Subject No. 383.

Girls' School at Channapatna.

Summary of discussion.—As desired last year, the Girls' school established at Channapatna in the name of Her Highness the 1st Princess Jaya Lakshmammanni Avaru should be taken under Government management. In reply to a query, the speaker stated that the school had no private endowments of its own.

Dewan's reply.—A grant-in-aid will be given.

Subject No. 384.

Temporary feeding of students at the Government Chattram, Channapatna.

Summary of discussion.—Pupils from various places attend the Lower Secondary Examination held every year in the High School at Channapatna. Permission should be accorded to their being fed twice a day for five days at the Government Chattram here.

Dewan's reply.—Inexpedient.

Subject No. 385.

Provision of sluices to Tanks which have no sluices.

Summary of discussion.—There are some tanks which have no sluices. These should be fitted with irrigation sluices, or the lands below assessed at dry crop rates.

Dewan's reply.—Impracticable. Such exist in the Malnad. The rate of assessment is very low on rain irrigated land.

Subject No. 386.

Language of Amildar Magistrates' Records.

Summary of discussion.—The record of trials in Amildar Magistrates' Courts should be in Kanarese and not in English as they often are.

Dewan's reply.—(After consulting the Deputy Commissioner and the Chief Judge.) The depositions are in Kanarese.